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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR PBOR MO SS SP

SUBJ: SPANISH SAHARA: ISTIQLAL MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT

REF: RABAT 2572

1. ISTIQLAL SECRETARY-GENERAL BOUCETTA TELLS US HE CONTEMPLATING PUBLISHING IN ISTIQLAL PRESS FACT THAT HIS PARTY SENT MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT ON SAHARA ISSUE; HE NOT CURRENTLY PLANNING TO RELEASE TEXT ITSELF, HOWEVER. BOUCETTA ALSO INDICATED INTEREST IN WHETHER THERE HAD BEEN ANY REACTION TO ISTIQLAL MESSAGE. WE ASSURED HIM THAT MESSAGE WAS SENT WITHOUT DELAY TO PRESIDENT IN MADRID, AND PROMISED TO LET HIM KNOW IF WE RECEIVED ANY FEEDBACK.

2. ISTIQLAL HAS MAINTAINED CLOSE AND FRANK DIALOGUE WITH EMBASSY OVER THE YEARS. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO US IN PURSUING THIS RELATIONSHIP TO BE ABLE TO PROVIDE BOUCETTA WITH SUITABLE BACKGROUND COMMENTS ON RECEIPT OF ISTIQLAL MESSAGE AND ANYTHING THAT MIGHT BE CONVEYED ON RESULTS OF MADRID VISIT WITH RESPECT TO SAHARA ISSUE. (WE HAVE ALSO BEEN QUERIED INFORMALLY ON MADRID RESULTS BY NUMEROUS GOM OFFICIALS.)
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